Du Pont, Lammot [recipient]

[from S.H. Chapman]

September 4, 1879

Letter only.

[Draft of letter stating they have just bought a collection of Indian Stone implements, and would he be interested in buying it?]

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# S. H. & H. CHAPMAN,

## NUMISMATISTS AND ANTIQUARIES,

*No. 2043 TOWER STREET,*

PHILADELPHIA.

DEALERS IN AMERICAN COINS AND MEDALS, AND ESPECIALLY IN FINE AND RARE SPECIMENS, NUMISMATIC BOOKS, INDIAN POTTERY AND STONE IMPLEMENTS. PATENT CABINET.

Phila. Mo. 11 1879.

L. du Pont Esq.

Dear Sir.

We have just ~~examined~~ purchased (made Cash offer for) ~~have the refusal until Saturday (the 6th) morning 10 A.M. of~~ a fine collection of Indian Stone implements about 187 pieces, all fine, consisting of Axes. Celts. Mauls. Scrapers. Sinkers. Ceremonial Stone. Fine large Spades. 3 Pipes 1 very rare of petrified wood with an animal head. Amethyst Ornament. Amulets. Very fine large Spear & Arrow points. Mound Builders pair Stone 3 pieces. Very rare Disc. Stone. Discordial Stones, &c. Several very large & fine Agricultural implements. Mound Pottery the largest & finest we have seen.

Our price will be about $250. for the whole collection. it may be a little more this. as we have not made out the exact price yet. ~~We~~ I have them arranged ~~and mounted~~ for you to see. ~~This is not a sale but a loan~~ if you purchase it will you be a likely purchaser. & take it at the price I may name. ~~also if you~~ Will you come up on Monday & see them. And wish you would call on Saturday & see them.

~~If you receive this too late to send an answer by mail, please telegraph at our expense.~~

One very desirable thing about the collection, is that locality

are all given. & the pieces are from Kentucky Texas
Tennessee. Illinois. Michigan Wyoming & California
&c. None are from the East the collection having
been formed in Illinois.
You are the first person we have mentioned the coll. to
& we will hold it for you until Monday ~~Friday~~ before selling
to anyone else. Very Respectfully,
Please send us a postal when you can call.

S. H. & H. Chapman

Wilm Del
May 24th 1881

Messrs
H & C H Chapman
Gentlemen

I am sorry to inform you that I will be unable to call on you this coming week as have to go to N.Y. returning via Scranton, Wilkesbarre & Tamaqua home

Yours in haste
Lewis

PHILADA. PA.
AUG

Return to
E. I. Du PONT de NEMOURS & CO.,
WILMINGTON, Del.,
If not delivered within 5 days.

Messrs
L. H. & H. Chapman
2043 Tenn St
Philadelphia
Tower St Canada

DuPont, Lammot August 30, 1881

Dover Del
May 30th 1851

Messrs
J N & A Chapman
Gentlemen

I hope now to be
able to call at your house at about
Noon of August 1st when I hope
to see you & at home
Be Master
Yours Truly
L Sockwell

PHILA
AUG
RECD.

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WILMINGTON, Delaware,
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C. M. & H. Chapman

2043 Tower Street

Philadelphia

Penna

Wilkesbarre
Oct 11th 1851

Messrs
S H & H Chapman
Gentlemen

Please excuse the delay but have had no time to attend to my private affairs may call at your house any time I have a half hour in Phila—

Enclosed check for $160.

Yours Truly
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J. H. & H. Chapman
2043 Tenn St
Philadelphia
Penna

Milton Del
Nov 27th 1891

Messrs L & H Chapman

Gentlemen

Enclosed please find
Check $17.60 amount due you.
I will on first opportunity
call at your house, but
what my amount was

Yours truly
L Hoare

du Pont

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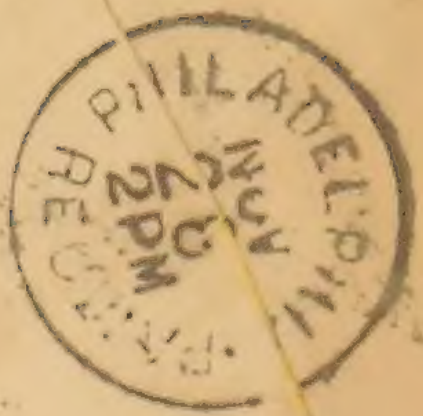

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